



MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
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Los Angeles, California 90012

At its meeting held Wednesday, June 4, 2008, the Board took the following action:

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Supervisor Antonovich made the following statement:

“The authority to establish and amend General Plans and Zoning Ordinances is best left to the local elected decision-makers. However, Assembly Bill 212 is a proposal which, if adopted, would undermine the City of Los Angeles’ ability to amend its own General Plan and Zoning Ordinance.

“This legislation addresses a General Plan and zoning issue involving property currently occupied by the Verdugo Hills Golf Course, located in the City of Los Angeles Sunland-Tujunga community. Nearly \$2 million in County funds have already been allocated toward the acquisition of property to preserve the open space and recreational usage. Moreover, both the cities of Glendale and Los Angeles support this usage.

“This legislation creates a dangerous precedent by allowing the State to usurp local land use decisions with amendments to local general plans and zoning ordinances.”

Arnold Sachs addressed the Board.

After discussion, on motion of Supervisor Antonovich, seconded by Supervisor Yaroslavsky, unanimously carried (Supervisor Molina being absent), the Chief Executive Officer was instructed to send a five-signature letter to Governor Schwarzenegger and the Los Angeles County Legislative Delegation opposing Assembly Bill 212 (Fuentes), legislation which would undermine the City of Los Angeles’ ability to amend its own General Plan and Zoning Ordinance.

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